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In re Application of
Chris Maier et al.
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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed October 1, 2002, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

This application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed July 27, 2001, which set a statutory period for Two Months from the mail date of the Notice. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) have been obtained. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on September 28, 2001.

This application is being forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing.

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